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the currents of the northern Atlantic: one of his last published contributions to science was a study of the probable drift of mines in these waters based on the course of floats dispersed from the *Hirondelle* in 1885-1888 (see the note in the *Geogr. Rev.*, Vol. 10, 1920, pp. 419-420). His work as a whole has been summarized in the words of the inscription on the Cullum Geographical Medal of the American Geographical Society awarded the Prince in 1921. "By intensive exploration and by research and publications of the highest order he has advanced the science of oceanography and extended man's knowledge of the sea and its resources."

ROLLIN D. SALISBURY. In the death of Professor Salisbury on August 15 at the age of 64 a severe loss is sustained by the departments of geology and geography of the University of Chicago. Professor Salisbury had been associated with the University since 1892. He was dean of the Ogden School of Science since 1894, head of the department of geography from 1903 to 1919, and since then head of the department of geology. Professor Salisbury's main interests have been in physical geography. His original work has been done largely in glacial geology, but he was first and foremost a teacher, and his most valuable contributions are the many textbooks of which he was sole or joint author. These include "Physiography," of which the first edition was published in 1907, the third in 1919; with Thomas C. Chamberlain, "Geology," 2 vols., 1904, 1906; "The Interpretation of Topographic Maps," *U. S. Geol. Survey, Professional Paper No. 60*, 1908, written in collaboration with Wallace W. Atwood, which has proved a valuable adjunct in physiography teaching; with H. H. Barrows and W. S. Tower, "Elements of Geography" (1912). Professor Salisbury was joint editor of the *Journal of Geology*. He was a member of the Association of American Geographers and acted as its president in 1919.

MR. LEVI HOLBROOK, Councilor of the Society, died on July 26, aged 86 years. He became a Fellow of the Society on December 17, 1872, and a Life Fellow on May 14, 1889. He was elected to the Council in January, 1888, and served as the Secretary of the Council from February 1, 1890, to February 15, 1912. For many years he was Chairman of the Lecture Committee and from time to time served on various special committees appointed by the President.